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Rules of origin

Note by the UNCTAD Secretariat

This document contains relevant extracts from communications received from Brazil, 1/ Israel, 2/ Mexico, 3/ Sri Lanka 4/ and Togo.

Brazil

"I have the honour to send you, in annex, a notification from the Trade and Technical Co-ordination of the External Trade Department of the Economic, Finance and Planning Ministry, which replaced the former CACEX, informing about the new Brasilia standard stamp used for the authentication of the Certificate of Form A." 5/

Israel

"Please find enclosed specimen of signatures and stamps used at export stations of the Department of Customs and V.A.T. of the Government of Israel, for the purpose of Certificates of Origin to products eligible for GSP treatment." 6/

Mexico

"With regard to the request made in your communication TD 423 (2) of 29 August 1990, the annex hereto contains a clearer impression of the stamps in question. In this connection, we would be very grateful if you could let us know when this information will be distributed to member States." 7/

These stamps are used by all GSP authentifying authorities throughout the Mexican territory.

Sri Lanka

"The Department of Commerce, the authority of the Government of Sri Lanka who is entitled to issue the Certificate of Origin under the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP), has introduced a new official stamp in respect of the certification required on the GSP Certificate of Origin.

"Enclosed herewith is the impression of the new stamp used by the Department of Commerce which is in force with effect from 11 December 1990.

"I shall be thankful if you will kindly take necessary action to bring the above to the notice of relevant authorities of the preference-giving countries at your earliest." 8/

Togo

"I have the honour to inform you that Togo would like to benefit from the tariff preferences granted by the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) ... and to enclose herewith the stamp of the department in charge of the management of the Generalized System of Preferences." 9/

Notes

1/ For earlier notifications, see TD/B/AC.5/39/Add.7.

2/ For earlier notifications, see TD/B/AC.5/39/Add.21 and TD/B/C.5/ORIGIN/24, 27, 28, 31, 34, 35, 38, 39, 40 and 41.

3/ For earlier notifications, see TD/B/AC.5/39/Add.7, 8, 11, 16, 24, 26, 28 and TD/B/C.5/ORIGIN/3, 37.

4/ For earlier notifications, see TD/B/AC.5/39/Add.11 and TD/B/C.5/ORIGIN/39.

5/ Reproduced in Annex I.

6/ Reproduced in Annex II.

7/ Reproduced in Annex III.

8/ Reproduced in Annex IV.

9/ Reproduced in Annex V.

Annex I

STANDARD STAMP USED FOR THE AUTHENTICATION OF THE CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN FORM A:

MINISTÉRIO DA ECONOMIA, FAZENDA E PLANEJAMENTO
DEPARTAMENTO DE COMÉRCIO EXTERIOR
Rio de Janeiro — RIO DE JANEIRO

Annex II

STATE OF ISRAEL
DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS & V.A.T.

מדינת ישראל
אגף המכס ומע"מ

Date .....

Export Station - .....

Names of authorized personnel to sign on
Form - A- Certificates of origin

	Surname and name	Specimen of the signature
1)	SHLOMO BARZILAI	.....
2)	..AA.ANNA.MAROEK	.....
3)	..IACOB.CIOARA.	.....
4)	.SARA.ZIPSER	.....
5)	.....	.....
6)	.....	.....
7)	.....	.....
8)	.....	.....

Sample of the Customs stamp
indentifying the export station :

STATE OF ISRAEL
DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS & V.A.T.

מדינת ישראל
אגף המכס ומע"מ

Date .....

Export Station - Customs..Ben-Gurion Airport

Names of authorized personnel to sign on
Form - A- Certificates of origin

	Surname and name	Specimen of the signature
1)	.MAYA..MORDAHY.....	.....
2)	.HOBA..CLARA.....	.....
3)	.TURGEMAN..SHLOMO....	.....
4)	.REUVEN..RONIT.....	.....
5)	.ANKORI...NAVA.....	.....
6)	.KAZAZ...AYALA.....	.....
7)	.SAADON..ROHAMA.....	.....
8)	.DANILOE..IDIT.....	.....

Sample of the Customs stamp
identifying the export station :

STATE OF ISRAEL
DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS & V.A.T.

מדינת ישראל
אגף המכס ומע"מ

Date .....

Export Station - .....

Names of authorized personnel to sign on
Form - A- Certificates of origin

	Surname and name	Specimen of the signature
9)	ABRAHAMS SHNIDER	A. Shnider
10)	YEHUDA HODORY	Y. Hodory
11)	BRAKHEL REUBEN	
12)	GIDEON LEVKOWITZ	Levkowitz
13)	GREENSHPAN SHMUEL	S. Greenshpan
14)	FREUD SHMUEL	
15)	ABRAHAM GUBBAY	A Gubbay
16)	SAROUSSI RONY	

Sample of the Customs stamp
identifying the export station :

ISRAEL ישראל
01.01.1991
04
CUSTOMS BEN GURION AIRPORT

ISRAEL ישראל
01.01.1991
04
CUSTOMS BEN GURION AIRPORT

STATE OF ISRAEL
DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS & V.A.T.

מדינת ישראל
אגף המכס ומע"מ

Date .....

Export Station - Customs Jerusalem Mandel Post

Names of authorized personnel to sign on
Form - A- Certificates of origin

	Surname and name	Specimen of the signature
1)	HAREL MOSHE	
2)	LERMAN SHMUEL	LERMAN SHMUEL
3)	COHEN YEHUDA	
4)	ZAR BEN ZION	B. Zar
5)	.....	.....
6)	.....	.....
7)	.....	.....
8)	.....	.....

Sample of the Customs stamp
identifying the export station :

STATE OF ISRAEL
DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS & V.A.T.

מדינת ישראל
אגף המכס ומע"מ

Date .....

Export Station - Customs Elat Port

Names of authorized personnel to sign on
Form - A- Certificates of origin

	Surname and name	Specimen of the signature
1)	NACCACHE SOVER	
2)	SUISSA JUDAH	
3)	JOSHEWED MIROM	
4)	ROIZER ALIZA	
5)	SOLOMOVICH EDNA	
6)	DAHAN MICHAL	
7)		
8)		

Sample of the Customs stamp
identifying the export station :

STATE OF ISRAEL
DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS & V.A.T.

מדינת ישראל
אגף המכס ומע"מ

Date .....

Export Station - Ramat-Gan Diamond Control-Customs

Names of authorized personnel to sign on
Form - A- Certificates of origin

	Surname and name	Specimen of the signature
1)	Tzafrir Anbar	
2)	Bittelman Hanoch	
3)	Jakubowicz David	
4)	Kasthner Osias	
5)	Chervin Gershon	
6)	Karta Shmuel	
7)		
8)		

Sample of the Customs stamp
identifying the export station :

STATE OF ISRAEL
DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS & V.A.T.

מדינת ישראל
אגף המכס ומע"מ

Date .....

Export Station - Customs Parcel Post Haifa

Names of authorized personnel to sign on
Form - A- Certificates of origin

	Surname and name	Specimen of the signature
1)	FELDHAIM ZIPORA	Z. Feldhaim
2)	STEREN ATARA	STEREN ATARA
3)	REZNIK MESHOOLAM	Reznik M.
4)	TARNITZKY HANA	H. Tarnitzky
5)	.....	.....
6)	.....	.....
7)	.....	.....
8)	.....	.....

Sample of the Customs stamp
identifying the export station :

STATE OF ISRAEL
DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS & V.A.T.

מדינת ישראל
אגף המכס ומע"מ

Date 29/11/1990

Export Station Customs Tel Aviv Parcel Post

Names of authorized personnel to sign on
Form - A- Certificates of origin

	Surname and name	Specimen of the signature
1)	BEN-TOUVAL AMRAM	Amram Ben Touval
2)	BECHOR EZRA	BECHOR
3)	BALULU RAHEL	BALULU RAHEL
4)	SABAN IRIS	SABAN IRIS
5)	TAL YEFET	YEFET TAL
6)	ARI VITKO	A. Vitko
7)	JOSEPH FREITAC	
8)		

Sample of the Customs stamp
identifying the export station :

ISRAEL ישראל
01.01.1991
06
CUSTOMS P. POST TEL AVIV

STATE OF ISRAEL
DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS & V.A.T.

מדינת ישראל
אגף המכס ומע"מ

Date .....

Export Station - Customs Haifa Parcel Post

Names of authorized personnel to sign on
Form - A- Certificates of origin

	Surname and name	Specimen of the signature
1)	FELDHAIM ZIPORA	Z. Feldhaim
2)	STEREN ATARA	STERN ATARA
3)	REZNIK MESHOOLAM	Reznik Meshulam
4)	YARNITZKY HANA	H. Yarnitzky
5)	.....	.....
6)	.....	.....
7)	.....	.....
8)	.....	.....

Sample of the Customs stamp
identifying the export station :

Annex III

SECRETARIA DE COMERCIO
Y FOMENTO INDUSTRIAL
DIRECCION GENERAL
DE SERVICIOS DE COMERCIO
EXTERIOR

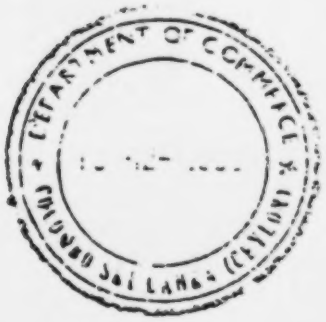
SECRETARIA DE COMERCIO
Y FOMENTO INDUSTRIAL
DIRECCION GENERAL
DE SERVICIOS DE COMERCIO
EXTERIOR

SECRETARIA DE COMERCIO
Y FOMENTO INDUSTRIAL
DIRECCION GENERAL
DE SERVICIOS DE COMERCIO
EXTERIOR

SECRETARIA DE COMERCIO Y FOMENTO INDUSTRIAL
PERIFERICO SUR 3025-2° PISO
HEROES DE PADIERNA.10700
MEXICO, D. F.

Annex IV

Specimen of the new official seal to be used from 11th December, 1990 by the Department of Commerce, Sri Lanka for the certification of certificates of origin under the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP).



The above is certified to be correct.

for Director of Commerce.

For Director of Commerce

Department of Commerce.
4th Floor,
'Rakshana Mandiraya',
Vauxhall Street,
Colombo 02.

Annex V

MINISTERE DU COMMERCE ET DES TRANSPORTS

REPUBLIQUE TOGOLAISE
UNION - PAIX - SOLIDARITE

DIRECTION DU COMMERCE EXTERIEUR

1°) Monsieur APPOH Kodjo Mensah

- Qualité : Directeur du Commerce Extérieur
- Signature :

2°) Monsieur Nébabéo BORMA

- Qualité : Attaché de Justice
- Signature :

Cachet :

REPUBLIQUE TOGOLAISE
MINISTERE DU COMMERCE et des TRANSPORTS
DIRECTION DU COMMERCE EXTERIEUR